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1 [Second-generation image coding: an overview](#)

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This article gives an overview of a diverse selection of currently used second-generation image coding techniques. These techniques have been grouped into similar categories in order to allow a direct comparison among the varying methods. An attempt has been made, where possible, to expand upon and clarify the details given by the original authors. The relative merits and shortcomings of each of the techniques are compared and contrasted.

Keywords: MRI, compression, image coding2 [Progressive geometry compression](#)

Andrei Khodakovsky, Peter Schröder, Wim Sweldens

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We propose a new progressive compression scheme for arbitrary topology, highly detailed and densely sampled meshes arising from geometry scanning. We observe that meshes consist of three distinct components: geometry, parameter, and connectivity information. The latter two do not contribute to the reduction of error in a compression setting. Using semi-regular meshes, parameter and connectivity information can be virtually eliminated. Coupled with semi-regular wavelet transforms, zerotree c ...

Keywords: compression algorithms, hierarchical representations, semi-regular meshes, signal processing, subdivision surfaces, wavelets, zerotree coding3 [Progressive compression for lossless transmission of triangle meshes](#)

Pierre Alliez, Mathieu Desbrun

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Lossless transmission of 3D meshes is a very challenging and timely problem for many applications, ranging from collaborative design to engineering. Additionally, frequent delays in transmissions call for progressive transmission in order for the end user to receive useful successive refinements of the final mesh. In this paper, we present a novel, fully progressive encoding approach for lossless transmission of triangle meshes with a very fine granularity. A new valence-driven decimating con ...

Keywords: connectivity encoding, geometry encoding, levels of details, mesh decimation, progressive transmission, triangle mesh compression

4 Tetrahedral mesh compression with the cut-border machine

Stefan Gumhold, Stefan Guthe, Wolfgang Straßer

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In recent years, substantial progress has been achieved in the area of volume visualization on irregular grids, which is mainly based on tetrahedral meshes. Even moderately fine tetrahedral meshes consume several mega-bytes of storage. For archivation and transmission compression algorithms are essential. In scientific applications lossless compression schemes are of primary interest. This paper introduces a new lossless compression scheme for the connectivity of tetrahedral meshes. Our tec ...

Keywords: compression algorithms, scientific visualization, solid modeling, volume rendering

5 Session P16: isosurfaces: BLIC: bi-level isosurface compression

Gabriel Taubin

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In this paper we introduce a new and simple algorithm to compress isosurface data. This is the data extracted by isosurface algorithms from scalar functions defined on volume grids, and used to generate polygon meshes or alternative representations. In this algorithm the mesh connectivity and a substantial proportion of the geometric information are encoded to a fraction of a bit per Marching Cubes vertex with a context based arithmetic coder closely related to the JBIG binary image compression ...

Keywords: 3D geometry compression, algorithms, graphics

6 Progressive lossless compression of arbitrary simplicial complexes

Pierre-Marie Gandoin, Olivier Devillers

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Efficient algorithms for compressing geometric data have been widely developed in the recent years, but they are mainly designed for closed polyhedral surfaces which are *manifold* or "nearly manifold". We propose here a *progressive* geometry compression scheme which can handle manifold models as well as "triangle soups" and 3D tetrahedral meshes. The method is lossless when the decompression is complete which is extremely important in some domains such as medical or finite element. Wh ...

Keywords: coding, interactivity, mesh compression, non manifold meshes, progressivity

7 Geometric compression through topological surgery

Gabriel Taubin, Jarek Rossignac

April 1998 **ACM Transactions on Graphics (TOG)**, Volume 17 Issue 2

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The abundance and importance of complex 3-D data bases in major industry segments, the affordability of interactive 3-D rendering for office and consumer use, and the exploitation of the Internet to distribute and share 3-D data have intensified the need for an effective 3-D geometric compression technique that would significantly reduce the time required to transmit 3-D models over digital communication channels, and the amount of memory or disk space required to store the models. Because ...

Keywords: 3D mesh compression, VRML, geometry compression

8 Linear-time compression of bounded-genus graphs into information-theoretically optimal number of bits

Hsueh-I Lu

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This extended abstract summarizes a new result for the *graph compression* problem, addressing how to *compress* a graph G into a binary string Z with the requirement that Z can be *decoded* to recover G . Graph compression finds important applications in 3D model compression of Computer Graphics [12, 17-20] and compact routing table of Computer Networks [7]. For brevity, let a $\{\mathcal{D}\}$ -graph stand for a graph with property \mathcal{D} ...

9 Session P12: meshes: Efficient compression and rendering of multi-resolution meshes

Zachi Karni, Alexander Bogomjakov, Craig Gotsman

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We present a method to code the multiresolution structure of a 3D triangle mesh in a manner that allows progressive decoding and efficient rendering at a client machine. The code is based on a special ordering of the mesh vertices which has good locality and continuity properties, inducing a natural multiresolution structure. This ordering also incorporates information allowing efficient rendering of the mesh at all resolutions using the contemporary vertex buffer mechanism. The performance of o ...

Keywords: geometry coding, progressive compression, rendering, wavelets

10 Poster Session: Edgebreaker: a simple compression for surfaces with handles

Hélio Lopes, Geovan Tavares, Jarek Rossignac, Andrzej Szymczak, Alla Safanova

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The Edgebreaker is an efficient scheme for compressing triangulated surfaces. A surprisingly simple implementation of Edgebreaker has been proposed for surfaces

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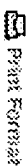
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